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MANILA FOR USDEL TO WFC

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REF: STATE 127260 AND BANGKOK 10379

1. EMB. OFF. INFORMED BY DEPT. UNDER-SEC., MIN. OF AGRI. &
COOP'S OFFICE THAT THAI DELEGATION TO WFC WILL INCLUDE:

- (A) INSI CHANTHARASATHIT, MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE & COOP.
- (B) THALOENG THAMRONG-NAWASSAWAT
DEPUTY UNDER-SEC. OF STATE, MIN. OF AGRI. & COOP.
- (C) BOON INDRAMPHANAYA
ADVISOR TO MINISTER OF AGRI. & COOP.
- (D) PRASOP PONGKHA, DEPUTY SEC. OF AGRI. & COOP.

2. BIO DATA

(A) DR. INSI BORN SEPT. 1899 WAS CALLED FROM RETIREMENT OCTOBER
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1976 BY ADMINISTRATIVE REFORM COUNCIL TO BE MINISTER OF AGRI.
& COOP. STUDIED AGRICULTURE AT UNIVERSITY OF PHILIPPINES AND
OBTAINED MA IN AGRICULTURE, 1922, FROM CORNELL UNIVERSITY.
AWARDED HONORARY DOCTORATE DEGREE IN FARMING AND VET. MEDICINE
FROM KASETSART UNI., 1965. PROFESSOR INSI SPENT THE EARLY PART
OF HIS CAREER AS AN AGRICULTURAL INSTRUCTOR AND HAS SINCE SERVED
IN VARIOUS POSITIONS IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRI. & COOP. HE IS

RECOGNIZED AS AN AGRICULTURAL SPECIALIST, HARDWORKER, SINCERE,
AND A MAN OF HONESTY.

(B) DR. THALOENG BORN NOV. 1930. AFTER ATTENDING A LOCAL SCHOOL
CONTINUED HIS STUDIES AT CORNELL AND UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN,
OBTAINED A PH.D FROM THE LATTER IN AGRI. ECON. AND INT'L ECON.
1957 TEACHER KASETSART UNIVERSITY; 1965, APPOINTED DEPUTY SECRE-
TARY GENERAL OF NATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD, AND CURRENT
POSITION OF DEPUTY UNDER-SEC. OF STATE FOR AGRI. & COOP. SINCE
1971. DR. THALOENG HAS TRAVELLED WIDELY AND REPRESENTED THAILAND
AT MANY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES. HE HAS PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE
IN DEVELOPING A NATIONAL PLAN FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT.

(C) MR. BOON WAS BORN JANUARY 1907. AFTER STUDYING LOCALLY
RECEIVED BS IN NUTRITION, CORNELL 1929. 1930 SPECIALIST DEPT. OF
FISHERIES; 1944 APPOINTED DIRECTOR GEN. OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND
1961 DEAN OF FACULTY OF FISHERY, KASETSART UNIVERSITY UNTIL
RETIREMENT 1967. BOON HAS PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN RESEARCH AND
DEVELOPMENT OF THAI FISHING INDUSTRY. HE TOOK PRESENT POSITION
FROM RETIREMENT IN OCTOBER 1976.

(D) BIO INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE FOR PRASOP.
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